HE WILL SEE THAT WHAT THEY HAVE TO SAY REGARDING THE WILSON BILL IS LAID BEFORE THE SENATE-SCANTY

COMPORT FOR THE TRADESMEN. Twelve apparently prosperous middle-aged men representing certain of the leading houses in the drygoods district, had a long conference with Senator David B. Hill in the reception parlor of the Hotel New-Netherland yesterday afternoon, In the hope that he would indicate his probable line of action on the Wilson bill or afford some positive and distinct expression of opinion on the measure as a whole. Of course they were disappointed. Senator Hill rarely commits himself to anything until the time comes to act, and he did not depart from his custom yesterday. Certain remarks made by him in the course of the discussion might be construed into an expression of disapproval of the bill, but when the conference was ended no one of the twelve or thirteen gentlemen present was exactly certain

about anything. The drygoods men had asked Senator Hill to meet them in conference, and when 5 o'clock had struck Senator Hill was prepared to listen to all they had to tell him. Nearly every one present could count his fortune in large figures. and, as might be expected, there was a unanimous outery against the income tax. Some members of the deputation almost shed tears in their vehement denunciation of this clause in Professor Wilson's measure

On this point Senator Hill, for a surprise, was clear in his expression. "I realize that the business men of this city are opposed to the income tax," he said. "The bill will now, unquestionably, be reported to the full Senate. I assume that the discussion will last six weeks, but this is merely conjecture. At present 1 have nothing to suggest to business men, but later, before the discussion is ended, I may have. At present I am waiting to hear suggestions from you. It is undeniable that the men representing the South and West are in favor of the income tax. Their views, however, are not sound, and cannot be defended on any logical

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Then Walter Stanton and others pelted Senator Hill with a string of technicalities out of which one thing was clear; that they were almost unanimously opposed to the reductions on raw materials. There seemed, too, to be a general opinion that the measure ran rather too much to ad valorem as against specific duties.

"There is one-thing that impresses me with considerable force," said Senator Hill, "and that is that the bill leans much on ad valorem duties. In fact, it seems to me that the whole thing has been run into the ground. I may say here that I am in favor of specific duties in all cases, except where the nature of the article affected renders such duties impossible. Of course in some cases an ad valorem duty is better; in others, again, a compound duty would be preferable to either of the first two. It seems to me that the Senate committee would have been wiser if it had taken the trouble to get the testimony of men like yourselves, who have mastered the subject—each in his own department of trade—and thoroughly understand the technicalities of the subject. Instead, they have preferred to conduct this secret session with only the opinions of Senators and Members of Congress to guide them. When it was suggested that the business men in the various interests should appear before the committee an objection arose that this proceeding would drag the revision of the bill through the summer. Then some of the Senators have a number of diverse interests, and so the proposition was unwisely put aside.

"What if a body of business men representing the various interests affected by the bill went to Washington and laid their views before the whole Senate?" asked one of the company.

"I think a preferable and more effective plan is this," replied Senator Hill. "The representative men in different interests should meet and discuss the provisions of the bill in detail. They should set forth their views in the form of a circular to each of the Senators. I will see th

with this scanty comfort, the drygoods depu-tion was forced to be content. Asked later by Tribune reporter to say whether he are tation was forced to be controlled a Tribune reporter to say whether he approved of the Wilson bill as a whole, Senator Hill declined to express any opinion on the subject. Those who took part in the conference included Walter Stanton, E. M. Townsend, J. R. Quimby, William E. Greenough, Theodore Frelinghuysen, Arthur Barnwell, E. H. Sampson, Charles E. Rycroft, J. E. Wooster, James H. Dunham, M. W. Benjamin, William F. King and Jules Montant.

HILL SEES SHEEHAN AND GRANT. HE DRIVES WITH THE EX-MAYOR AND TALKS WITH THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

ong the people who paced up and down the Among the people who was vestibule of the Hotel New-Netherland last night while Senator Hill had his talk with the drygoods men was a tall, thin, florid, blue-eyed man, who at stervals tugged nervously at a thin, red mustache Only one or two of those present were aware of his identity. He was Lieutenant-Governor William F. Sheehan, seeking a talk with Senator Hill. At intervals during the day he had tried to get access to the Senator, but each time failed. He sent in his card marked "important" to Senator Hill, who received it just as he was talking to the drygoods men about the income tax. Senator Hill looked at it, turned to his secretary, murmured "See what wants" and resumed the discussion just as if nothing particular had happened. As the business deputation filed out of the room Lieutenant-Governor Sheehan whisked in, and for about fifteen minutes the two talked behind closed doors. Whether they talked on the State Senate investiga-

minutes the two talked beams closed doors. Whether they talked on the State Senate investigation of the Police Department, the bi-partisan Police Board measure or the cold-blooded murder of Robert Ross by the Democratic repeaters at the election in Troy, may never be known. Of course, they declined to say a word about it. When the conference closed Lieutenant-Governor Sheehan nurried out of the room and, jumping into a carriage, drove off to catch the Albany express train. Early in the day Senator Hill had spent a considerable time in the downtown district, returning to the hotel at noon. Early in the afternoon ex-Mayor Hugh J. Grant, driving a smart-looking wagon drawn by a pair of bays, appeared at the hotel entrance, and was at once joined by Senator Hill. Then for more than two hours the two men, side by side, drove through Central Park along upper Seventh-ave, as far as Macomb's Pam Bridge, chatting earnestly the while on—what? To-day Senator Hill will return to Washington.

Asked by a Tribune reporter last night to say whether the published report of his engagement to Miss Letty Scott, niece of Vice-President Stevenson, was true. Senator Hill smiled blandly and resplied: "I would prefer to say nothing about the matter."

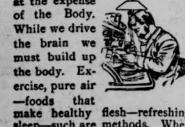
ter."
Neither would be express any opinion on the mur-der of Robert Ross. "I must positively decline to discuss such subjects," he said. "I am dealing with the tariff now, and not with murder or politics."

THE E. B. HARPER CLUB TO HAVE A

A "smoker" will be given by the E. B. Harper Re publican Club on next Saturday evening, at its slubhouse, No. 189 Willis-ave. Great preparations are going forward to make this affair a success, and the committee having it in charge promises an elaborate programme. Several prominent speak ers have expressed their intention to be present and take part in the exercises. The club is thoroughly

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MR. COLQUITT WANTS A RE-ELECTION. Atlanta, Ga., March 10 .- "The Constitution Atlanta, Ga., Maren 19.—The Constitution pub-lishes this morning a letter from United States Sensitor Alfred H. Colquitt announcing that he will be a candidate for re-election before the General Assembly, which meets next October.

NOMINATED FOR MAYOR OF CINCINNATI Cincinnati, March 19.-Isaac J. Miller was nominated for Mayor this morning by the Démocrats assembled in convention at Horticultural Hail. The first ballot resulted as follows, Isaac J. Miller, 284; Cass Hopple, 115; James J. Faran, 34.

FLEEING FROM NICARAGUAN TROOPS.

WOMEN LEAVE BLUEFIELDS TO ESCAPE FROM THE SOLDIERS THE BRITISH MAN-OF-WAR CLEOPATRA ON HAND.

Captain Crowell, of the steamer Premier, errived here yesterday from Eluefields, on the inhabitants were leaving the city on account remier a force of Nicaraguan troops had invaded the Mosquito Reservation and the Nicaraguan flas had been hoisted at Bluefields. The British man-ofwar Cleopatra, which was reported by cable to hav landed a force at Bluefields, had not arrived there when the Premier sailed, but was at Colon when th Premier arrived there, coaling. The mate of the Cleopatra, who told him that the man-of-war was going to Bluefields on account of the wreck of the Kearsarge, to protect American and Eritish interests and such other foreign interests as were in ne of protection. He said that there would be no effort made to extend the British influence in the Mosquite Reservation, and that had the Keamarge not beer lost the Cleopatra would probably not have bee ordered to Bluefields, Captain Crowell and his officers spoke of the excesses of the Nicaraguan troops who occupied the principal points of the Reservation, and said that women were fleeing from Bluefields on that account. While the Fremier was at Boca del Toro thirty women arrived there who

had fled from Bluefields. The Nicaraguans, when they entered the reserva tion, were anxious to catch Hudson, the chief mag-istrate, who ruled the Mosquito Reservation, and who had advised resistance to the invasion of the Nicaraguans. Hudson made his way in a small skiff, with two companions, to Boca del Toro, down the coast, and from there went to the island of San Andreas. The family of Hudson was not mo-lested by the Nicaraguan soldiers, and Hudson's wife was a passenger in the Premier from Rine-fields to Boca del Toro, when she went in search of her fugitive husband.

From the accounts brought by the Premier, it

of her lugice absolute the Nearaguan troops entered appears that when the Nearaguan troops entered Bluefields they pillaged indiscriminately, and committed other excesses. The commander of the Nicaraguan forces curbed to some extent the license of his soliders, and issued a proclamation which he guaranteed safety to all foreigners and declared that the inhabitants of the Reservation would be protected in all the rights of Government which they have heretofore enjoyed.

#### FOOTBALL QUESTIONS DISCUSSED.

BROUGHT UP BY THE COLLEGE GRADUATES. The first positive move in the direction of foot-Club, at the clubhouse in Twenty-sixth-st. last night. Of course the committee did not get to only three of the five committeemen were present, but something has at last been done after months of weary waiting, and for that little something the public ought to be grateful. There was abundance of good cheer, life, music

and song at the athletic club of the college men last night, and this merriment may have annoyed the three bold experts who have fearlessly marched into the breach to rescue the game from public nation and from college prohibition.

The delegates were to meet at 7:30 p. m., but it was after 9 o'clock before anything was done. The Princeton Glee Club, with banjos, mandolins, voice and "whistle puckers," whiled away the fleeting hours, to the amusement of the members. It was close to midnight when Walter Camp appeared and announced that the committee had considered several suggestions, but that it had taken no final nection, nor arrived at any definite decision. Walter Camp, of Yale; Alexander Moffatt, of Princeton, and John C. Bell, of the University of Pennsylvania, were present. Brooks, the Harvard, and Dashiel, the Lehigh, delegates were not present. The suggestions made last night will be brought up again at the next meeting, and will then be submitted to the different colleges for approval. The suggestions under discussion were as follows: First, the piling up on a man after he has called "dayn." and "whistle puckers," whiled away the fleeting

"down." Second, more security to a man making a fair

ratch.
Third, flying momentum plays.
Fourth, encouragement of drop kick.
Fifth, increasing the number of officials for the better enforcement of rules.
Sixth, insistence upon kicks when called for by

rules.
Seventh, changing value of points in scoring.
Eighth, making each rule more exact.
Ninth, delays of game and injured players to leave the field.
Tenth, option of taking a penalty to vest in of-

### COLONIZERS OFF FOR LIBERIA.

The forty-eight colored colonizers from Atlanta, n the American Line steamer Chester, for Southampton. At Southampton they will get a steamer for Liberta. The Rev. Mr. Gaston, who is the for Liberta. The Rev. Mr. Gaston, who is the head of the party, has been engaged in the work of taking newroes to Liberta for several years, and has had considerable trouble in consequence of his work in that direction. At one time he was accused of embezzing \$4.000 which he had collected. When the emigrants sailed yesterday they had only a vague idea of where they were going. They only knew that it was to Liberia, which to them is the "Promised Land."

### THE WEATHER REPORT.

A COLD WAVE MOVING EASTWARD RAPIDLY. Washington, March 10.-The storm has moved in twelve hours from Eastern Nebraska to Wisconcreasing markedly in intensity, a pressure of 29.28 inches being reported from La Crosse. A second storm has developed north of Montana. Areas of high pressure have remained stationary off the Nova Scotla Coast and in the plateau

Light rains have fallen on the New-England Coast and light rain or snow in South Dakota, Iowa and on Lake Superior. The temperature has remained stationary in the Atlantic States and in Mississippi Valley and has risen elsewhere.

The weather will clear in the upper lake region and will be generally tair elsewhere. The temperature will fail decidedly in the Ohio and Mississippi valleys and the upper lake regions.

FORECAST IN DETAIL FOR TO-DAY. For New-England and Eastern New-York, fair; slightly warmer.

For the District of Columbia, Eastern Pennsylvania, New-Jersey, Maryland, Delaware and Virginia, fair; slightly warmer. For Ohio, fair; much colder Sunday evening or

For Indiana and Illinois, fair; moderate cold wave Sunday evening and night.

For West Virginia, Western Pennsylvania and Western New-York, generally fair; warmer during the day and probably in the evening; much colder Sunday right.



In this diagram a continuous white line shows the changes in pressure as indicated by The Tribune's self-recording barometer. The broken line represents the temperature as observed at Perry's Pharmacy.

Tribune Office, March 11, 1 a. m .- The weather yes terday was warm and threatening. The temperature ranged between 39 and 52 degrees, the average, 44½, being 5 degrees higher than on the corresponding date has year, and % higher than on Friday. In and near this city to-day the weather will probably be fair and warmer.

THE CIRCUS SEASON AT HAND.

GREAT MORAL SHOW" GREATER THAN

URY-SOME OF THE STRIKING PRAT-URES OF THE "AGGREGATION"

People may dispense with the luxuries of life in here hard times, but the necessaries they must have, and first among the latter, in season, he circus. Conscious of the ever-present want in this direction, Mr. Bailey, the managing partner of "The Greatest Show on Earth," which is also a "Great Moral Show," and is especially designed teach the youth of America that there are more hings in heaven and earth than are dreamed of in heir geographies, has got that "aggregation" all in order for the usual summer campaign of educa-Bridgeport winter quarters. Yesterday the season opened. The annual parade of newspaper men "eventuated" at Bridgeport. The band-wagon came forth in all the glamour of Connecticut red paint receive the score of visitors who came up from ton's "personally conducted" tours. The six white horses gave their annual imitation of "prancing steeds," and Byron Rose, the veteran mast transportation of the circus world, himself adjusted the thre-escapes by which the chariot's sides are scaled, and convoyed the party out to the vinter quarters of the show. There are circuses and circuses, but the Great

Moral Snow is the only original circus on the block, and this year it is going to be even more so than usual. Panies may come and panies may go, but the treasury over which Mr. Fish presides with unfailing cheerfulness knows not depletion, and the preparations for the season of 1894 have upon the usual lavish scale. On Monthan Assyrian purple and gold. The features of than Assyrian purple and gold. The features of novelty in this season's prospectus are too numerous and soul-stirring for description by any one not having the circus vocabulary at his pen's point. The street parade is to be expanded and elaborated antil it stops just one degree short of Eldorado on wheels, with Charles V's entry into Antwerp for an advance guard. Columbus and his wearsome pageantry have been relegated to the obscurity for which nature originally designed Chicago and the World's Fair, and in place thereof the circus proper will be restored to its pristing glory, and a "Grand Ethnological Cobreres" will be added. This latter is guaranteed to be more amusing than the Washington article, though, of course, even Mr. Bailey's endless resources and energy cannot accumulate as great a variety of freaks as are on exhibition at the Capitol.

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A few of the riding acts, as prepared under John O'Brien's experienced eye, were shown to the visitors in the practice ring yesterday. A re-entry of all the old favorities of the former circus going age is promised. The little lady with lace petticont, the pichaid horses, in short, all that was best of the old and most daring of the new will dazzle the circus lover at Madison Square Garden. The spectacle of the "premiere equestrienne" in faded blue bloomers, and with her hair in curl papers, dancing on the back of a horse in the dingy light of the winter quarters, is of course less soulstirring than will be the same performance with the accessories of spansles and gaslight and band music, but the wenderful agility of the young women was all the more apparent in yesterday's performances under the former conditions. Miss Linda Jeal, Miss Effic Dutton and Miss Hose Wentworth gave striking exhibitions of what women of strong and flexible understandings can accomplish on horse-back. Four couples on horse-back gave the old Maypole dance, weaving the many-colored ribbons about the pole in the way that the young men and maddens of Merrie England were wont to do, singing

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The maypole dance is a very pretty tune. We dance to the clang of our wooden aboon, in the days before the Puritan suppressed this, along with Charles I and various other institutions. Frank Melville gave a fine exhibition of bareback riding on a trick trotting horse. Over in the animal house the Ethnological Congress was in session in Committee of the Whole on the state of their union. Trainer Albert Stailer occupied the chair and wielded the gavel in the shape of a whip about twenty feet iong. Two savage flons, George and Joe, sat on their respective stools and grumbled to themselves at the slowness of the approceedings. Marcel and Lulu, enormous German bloodhounds, trotted about and assisted in keeping order. Leopards and painters smarled. Two frightened Angora goats shivered in a corner, while a big and a little bear completed the constellation. To the loud cracking of Stadler's whip the animals went through nearly all the regulation Hagenbeck performance. When the big bear found himself at the top of the pyramid, with a lion's nose within about four inches of him on either side, he wept copiously and let out a soul-harrowing moan that seemed to say: "Oh, why did I leave home and mother for this."

Max, the "ursa minor," was a saucy little coon, which recked not of danger. He are sugar, rose leaves, cigarettes, fine-cut tobacco and various other things fed to him by the generous newspaper men, and never winked. When Corbett, the more pugnacious of the leopards, took a mouthful of fur out of the small of his back, Max was momentarily embarrassed, but he climbed jauntily to the top of the cage as soon as released by the ever-ready whip of the trainer.

The array of elephants in George Conklin's department is larger this year than ever before, and George Arstingstall, who is again with Mr. Balley, after a year's absence, has the little elephant Baby thing but wiggle his trunk and look sole

Some statements were published yesterday to the effect that it was the purpose of the Manhattan Railway Company to begin the running of fast trains to the suburbs to the northward as far as Fordham at a 5-cent rate of fare. A prominent di-rector of the company said last night that there was no foundation whatever for the report, but he said that some changes in the operation of the elevated system were in contemplation which might result in a more expanded and extensive service. What these changes were he declined to indicate.

TO SHOW RECENT PROGRESS IN SCIENCE. A wide variety of scientific instruments and specimens will be displayed at the exhibition given specimens will be displayed at the exhibition given to-morrow evening by the New-York Academy of Sciences, in connection with the first annual reception of that body, in the Library of Columbia College. The collection is designed to show recent progress, and is said to be extremely fine; and the academy's enterprise, which is original in some respects, promises to be an important incident in the history of scientific study in New-York City.

Head and Chest, Cough, Sore Throat, and General Prosyou have taken cold, the knowledge of which does not re quire great skill, and rest assured that

ASKING HIGHER SALARIES.

CITY OFFICIALS CLAMORING FOR MORE

A PROPOSITION TO GIVE PROPER COMPENSATION TO A HARD-WORKING COMMISSIONER STARTS A TREMENDOUS HUE AND CRY FOR PUBLIC FUNDS.

The salary of the president of the Department of Taxes and Assessments is \$5,000 annually. Recognizing the services of the present incumbent, Edward P. Barker, and believing that he was deserving of a higher salary, the Board of Estimate favored the passage of an act fais ing it to \$8,000 a year. Mr. Barker performs the duties of secretary of the Board of Estimate and of the Armory Board in addition to those of president of the Tax Department. Corporation Counsel Clark drew up a bill for the purpose Indicated. This was all the draft contained when it vent to Albany. Immediately, however there was an outcry from the other two Tax Commissioners, who get \$4,000 a year each. They, or somebody for them, appealed to members of the Legislature, and their importunities were quieted by the insertion of a clause to give Messrs. Whalen and Blumenthal \$7,000 each a year instead of \$4,000. Then rose up the eightee Deputy Tax Commissioners, who also demanded a "raise" One of them is now receiving \$3,500, another gets \$3,000 and all the rest, but one, are paid \$2,700 a year each. The eighteenth man gets \$1,500 only. They want additions made to their pay which will bring them all up to a uniform \$3,500. The bill has been reported favorably to the Assembly by the Committee on Cities. Now there is a clamor for higher salaries all

along the Tammany line. Street-Cleaning Commissioner Andrews, who has discounted Beattle and Brennan for filthy streets, wants his salary and Brennan for fitting steeds, and Brennan for fitting states a speak of the Lorentz and Brennan for fitting states a speak of the Lorentz and states and states a speak of the Lorentz and states and states a speak of the Lorentz and states and states a speak of the Lorentz and states and states a speak of the Lorentz and states and states a speak of the Lorentz and states raised from \$6,000 to \$10,000 a year. "Mike

Mr. Barker's friends fear that the bill intended to add only a reasonable compensation for his extremely arduous duties will be so heavily weighted as to sink it.

#### MYSTERIOUS PATIENT AT THE HOSPITAL.

A FINE APPEARING YOUNG WOMAN FOUND WANDERING IN CENTRAL PARK-ATTACKED WITH HYSTERIA-SHE WILL NOT

TELL HER NAME The authorites of the Presbyterian Hospital have as a patient a mysterious young woman who was found wandering aimlessly in Central Park late on opposite Eighty-ninth-st. The young woman gav nected. Policeman James Fitzgerald took charge of her and took her to the Eighty-sixth-st, stable the nearest place of shelter. On the way to the the nearest place of shelter. On the way to the stable the officer's charge was attacked with spasms. An ambulance from the Presbyterian Hospital was summoned, and the victim was taken to the hospital. During the night the attack of hysteria did not leave her. Vesterday she became rational, but despite the repeated urging of the nurses and physicians the patient refused to tell her name and address or tell aught about herself. There was nothing found on her clothes or person that would throw any light on the mystery. In a pocketbook found in the dress were 61 cents.

The physicians say the young woman has fully recovered. They pronounce her allment as an ordinary case of hysteria. No description of her could be obtained at the hospital last night.

### AUGUSTIN DALY'S NEW MEDAL.

THE HIGH HONOR CONFERRED ON HIM BY THE

Medal has been conferred this year by the University of Notre Dame, at South Bend, Ind., on Augustin Daly. This medal is held to be a high honor among the Roman Catholics of the country. It is conferred once a year on some person of such eminence as to seems worth; of it. It is now pro-posed to have the formal presentation in Chicago June. Mr. Daly's company will be in that city then, and he will be with it. A date for the func-tion will be appointed, and the faculty of the university, with a number of invited guests, will meet Mr. Daly, and the medal will be formally conferred.

The medal itself is a massive gold piece of pure metal and of the best workmanship. Its in-trinsic value is considerable. The medal hangs from a solid gold bar. On the obverse side is the device of a pen lying across an open book, fashioned in gold and blue enamel. Around and above this design is the motto, "Magna est Veritus et Praevalebit." Underneath are the words, "Lae tare Medal" and the date. On the reverse is the name of the recipient and the name of the university, together with an inscription indicating the reason why the honor was conferred. Thus, on the medal which has been prepared for Augustin Daly, it will be said that it is presented in recognition of his efforts for a pure dramatic literature and his devotion to the study of Shakespeare's poetry.

Only nine persons have received this medal hitherto. They were John Gilmary Shea, writer and American historian, P. C. Keeley, architect, of New-York, who has built many churches and fifteen cathedrals; General John Newton, civil engineer, who won fame by removing the dangerous reefs at Hell Gate; Eliza Allen Starr, of Chicago, philanthropist and writer; Anna Hanson Dorsey, writer; William J. Onahan, of Chicago, Danlel Dougherty, of New-York; H. F. Brownson, of Detroit, essayist and author, son of the American Catholic philosopher, Orestes A. Brownson, and Patrick Donahoe, the publisher of "The Boston Pilot."

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Patrick Donahoe, the publisher of "The Boston Pliot."

As may be inferred from the list of medalists, only those pre-eminent in some special way are honored. There must be merit and distinction outside of church work. Great care is exercised by the faculty of Notre Dame in selecting the person to be honored each year. Many names are suggested and the merits of all are carefully and impartially considered. There is no such thing as influence in determining the final choice. The persons whose names are talked over by the faculty do not know that they are even considered.

Mr. Daly has received an invitation from Dr. Blumenthal, of the Lessing Theatre, to take his company to Berlin, and from Herr Possart to follow at the Royal Court Theatre, Munich, after the close of his London season, to produce the Shakespearian comedies which have been the successes of Mr. Daly's season there. He has been compelled to decline, however, Miss Rehan's need of rest preventing the acceptance of the offers.

### "THE ORIGIN OF THE DEVIL."

Professor Leon Landsberg will speak before the H. P. B. Theosophical Society, No. 142 West One-hundred-and-twenty-fifth-st., on "The Origin of the Devil," this evening. He will show what was meant by devil in the various great religious systems of the past and present, and will argue as a result of comparative study that in no religion is a personal devil taught. He will try to show that the devil was universally considered as having a divine origin, and is the lower aspect of God, and as a principle in nature is not necessarily evil. The pub-lic is invited.

HORSE SHOE HARBOR CLUB OFFICERS. The following officers of the Horse Shoe Harbon Yacht Club have been elected: Joseph H. Sterling, commodore; vice-commodore, George S. Towle; secretary, Frank A. Moore; treasurer, George G. Murray; trustees, Edward F. Caldwell, Frederick C. Hilliard and Charles A. Singer.

CLOSING PRICES OF CHICAGO STOCKS. Chicago, March 10, 1894. CLOSING PRICES OF SAN FRANCISCO STOCKS.

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NEW BILL FOR RAPID TRANSIT

TO BE PRESENTED TO THE LEGISLATURE BY THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

IT WILL EMBRACE THE HEWITT PLAN FOR AN DENTLY LOOKED FOR-THE COMMIS-SION'S FONDNESS FOR THE AB-

Something practical in the way of rapid transit is in sight. The committee of the Chamber of Commerce appointed to investigate the rapid transit situation had a meeting last Thursday and prepared a bill which will be presented to the Legislature some day this week. It provides for the building of an underground rapid transit system on the Hewitt plan, which is: that the city shall own the road, issuing bonds to defray its cost, while the construction and maintenance shall be let to a responsible corporation. The full text of the bill has not yet been made public. but it is understood that it provides for legislation which will give the greatest safeguard to the issue of the city bonds. It will also probably provide for the appointment of a competent ommission which will have the general super-

The action of the Chamber of Commerce in interesting itself in the rapid transit problem has been greeted with hearty approval from all people who are interested in the prosperity of the city. Its indorsement of the Hewitt plan and its endeavors to do for the city what the present Rapid Transit Commission has failed to accomplish is an indication that rapid transit by means of an underground railroad may soon be given to the people of New-York. PROVISIONS OF THE PROPOSITION.

vision of the building of the road.

The Hewitt plan vests the ownership of the rapid transit system in the city. The construcrapid transit system in the road are to be intrusted to "such responsible corporation now
existing or hereafter to be formed as may, in addition to the interest on the city bonds, pay the
largest annual rental, such excess to be used as
a sinking fund to retire the bonds of the city,
and when the bonds are so retired the lease is to
be terminated." After that the lease shall be
sold to the highest bidder, upon such terms as
may be prescribed by the city authorities, for
periods not exceeding thirty years, in the same
general manner as ferries are now sold.

The Rapid Transit Commission will have
ready the impracticable, unpopular and ridiculous Bushe plan for an elevated road early this
week. Work upon this plan is about finished,
and it will probably be presented to the Board
of Aldermen in a day or two. The Commission may, however, wait until Mayor Gifroy returns before taking its plan to the City Hall.
The hop growers' syndicate is in readiness to
bid for the plan the minute it is offered, and
every pressure has been brought to bear upon tion and operation of the road are to be inbid for the plan the minute it is offered, and every pressure has been brought to bear upon the commission by this syndicate not to give up the Bushe plan. The Manhattan Elevated Railway Company is anxiously awaiting the latest development in the rapid transit situation, because it sees in the Bushe plan the easiest way of getting extensions to its present system.

IT HAS OUTLIVED ITS USEFULNESS. Now that the Chamber of Commerce has decided to do the work of the Rapid Transit Commission every one is wondering why the Rapid Transit Commissioners do not draw down the blinds in the William-st, office and gracefully retire from the field in which they have labored so long and uselessly. The public condemned the Bushe plan when it was first proposed, but the Bushe plan when it was first proposed, but the Commissioners could think of nothing else to do, and probably they wanted nothing else to do, because Mr. Bushe said that the plan was good, and that it must go. Mr. Starin alone stood out against the plan, for he favored an underground road, and not one that would eventually fall into the clutches of the Man-hattan Coppeans.

There will be a meeting of the Commission on

# A NEW COUNTRY CLUB.

A number of gentlemen, strong believers in the beauties and health-giving qualities of the Berk-shire Hills, assembled on Thursday at the Intertational Hotel, for the purpose of establishing a club in that region, on the property owned by the Berkshire Hills Park Association, in the town of Mount Washington, Mass. There was a goodly attendance, the chair being occupied by L. D. Hosford. The meeting being a preliminary one to formulate plans, ways and means, etc., a committee was appointed to draft bylaws to be submitted at a general meeting to be held later at the call of the

eral meeting to be held later at the call of the chairman.

The club proposes to charge an initiation fee of sion, with annual dues of \$10. Members will, for this outlay, be entitled to a clear deed for a one-acre building plot within the reservation of the association, and a full right in all the club holdings, including the privilege of fishing and hunting over the entire grounds of the association.

The following are among those interested in the movement and present at the meeting: William T. Comstock, publisher of "Architecture and Building" Charles A. Jenney, of "The Weekly Underwriter"; Louis H. Comish, publisher of "Suburbs"; the Rev. Dr. Kimber, Albert D'Oench, J. McLean Shaw, George W. K. Taylor, H. A. Gouge, George B. Lewis, J. A. Rossman, William P. Robinson and J. Fanning O'Reilly.

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The association is indebted for this benefit to the kind services of Miss A. Minnie Herts. The actors and actresses have been secured by the courtesy of Messrs. Daniel and Charles Frohman. The list will include Mrs. Kendall, Edward Sothern in a monologue; Miss Georgia Cayvan in a sketch, with organ accompaniment; the Lyceum company in a one-act play; He Empire company in a one-act play; Fritz Williams in a musical pagody, and Mr. Giradot, of the "Charley's Aunt" company.

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